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FM AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

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SUBJ: UNGA CONSIDERATION OF WORLD FOOD
CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 261234

1. IN DECEMBER 2 DISCUSSION WITH COLLIN ROGERS,
DEPARTMENT FOREIGN AFFAIRS (DFA), EMBASSY OFFICER
STRESSED USG VIEW THAT PROMPT AND NON-CONTENTIOUS
UNGA ENDORSEMENT OF WFC RESULTS ESSENTIAL TO MAINTAIN
MOMENTUM GENERATED BY CONFERENCE. ROGERS
EXPLAINED THAT GOA STILL AWAITING RETURN TO CANBERRA
OF DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE DEPUTY SECRETARY SWIFT,
WHO HEADED AUST. DELEGATION TO WFC, TO DETERMINE WHAT
FOLLOW-UP TO CONFERENCE IS DESIRABLE. HOWEVER,
RODGERS EMPHASIZED THAT DFA FULLY AGREES THAT WFC
PACKAGE SHOULD BE MAINTAINED INTACT AND PROMPTLY
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ENDORSED.

2. RODGERS AGREED TO DISCUSS FOLLOW-UP TO WFC WITH EMBASSY AFTER SWIFT RETURNS LATER THIS WEEK AND INTERDEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE HAS HAD TIME TO CONSIDER CONFERENCE RESULTS AND DECIDE ON NEXT STEPS. RODGERS SAID HE PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN HOW USG ROME PROPOSALS ON EXPORTERS AND RESERVES GROUPS WILL FIT INTO WFC RECOMMENDATIONS. EMBASSY WILL REPORT FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: SINCE WE WANT TO BE ABLE TO DISCUSS USG PROPOSALS FOR FOLLOW-UP TO WFC IN SOME DEPTH, EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE FURTHER BACKGROUND ON US PROPOSALS FOR EXPORTERS AND RESERVES GROUPS MENTIONED BY RODGERS. GREEN

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